MANY WINDOWS WERE SMASHED

Chamber of Commerce Requests the Secretary of the Treasury to Defer Action on Winston-Salem Public Building

Project.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., March 25.-WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Marcia 25.
This section was visited this afternoon by the worst storm in the history of Winston. It was almost a cloudburst. Rain and hall fell in torrents. Some of the hall stones measured eight inches in circumference. Many window panes were broken and tin roofs hadly damagt!. At Kernersville the Methodist parsonage was damaged and a stable and small residence demolished.

PUBLIC BUILDING.

The Chamber of Commerce this after-

noon adopted a resolution requesting the Secretary of the Treasury to defer any action looking to the erection of a public building in Winston-Salem to the end that steps may be taken to exchange the present site of the county courtbouse for the postoffice. He is further requested to send an agent of the Government to Winston-Salem to inspect the courthouse

Congressman Blackburn, Senator Pritchard and Capt. R. B. Glenn went to Wash ington to-night to confer with the Secre-tary of the Treasury in regard to the action of the Chamber of Commerce.

#### DURHAM BULL FACTORY SOLD.

Number of Damage Suits Pending in Superior Court.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
DURHAM, N. C. March 25.—The civil
term of the Durham county Superior
Court convened this morning with Judge Council on the bench. A number of very important cases are to be tried, most of them suits against the Southern Railroad and the Durham Water Works Company for heavy damages. The latter corpora-tion confessed judgments last week for amounts aggregating one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars. This will probably put an estopel on the suits against them for this term of the court. The Blackwell Durham Bull factory was

sold Saturday under a decree of the court and was knocked out to the American To-bacco Company's agent, Junius Parker, who bid four million dollars. There was no other bid.

Pipe laying for the gas plant is pro-gressing rapidly, and will soon be able to compete with the electric plant.

Though the smallpox scare is subsiding semewhat, the local papers having ceased to print a line in reference to it, trade is seriously affected. Operatives at the Duke branch of the American Tobacco Cempany have been notified that they must be vacchaited or quit work. This notice is said to be more effective than the compulsory ordinance passed by the Council.

#### NEW BANK FOR WELDON,

Machinery Now Being Put In-New Hosiery Mitt. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WELDON, N. C., March 25.—The First National Bank of Weldon was organized here Saturday. Colonel W. H. S. Bur-gwyn was elected president and Samuel F. Patterson was elected vice-president. Directors are: W. S. Parker, M. W. Ransom, Jr., W. A. Pierce, J. T. Gooch, F. Patterson, and Colonel W. H. S. The furniture has been placed in the

bank building, and the institution will Degin business early in April. Machinery is being put in the new knit-ting mill at Enfield. The mill will man-ufacture hosiery.

Invitations were issued to-day to the marriage of Miss Estelle Edwards to Mr. Frank W. Garrett. The ceremony will take place at Grace Episcopal Church April 10th.

#### PERSONAL ENCOUNTER.

Liveryman Tired of Paying Bonus to City Official.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WILMINGTON, N. C., March 25.-A sensation was created here to-day by a personal encounter between J. A. Perry Mills, a prominent liveryman and har-

The fight grew out of charges by Mills that Perry, in buying teams and harness for the city, insisted on being given a bonus for himself on each transaction.

#### THE CONVENTION ENDS.

Chiswell-Bellamy Wedding a Social Event.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WILMINGTON, N. C., March 25.—The twenty-fifth annual convention of the North Carolina Young Men's Christian Association closed last night, with farewell services at the First Baptist Church, preceded by a union meeting at the same church. To-day many delegates left for their homes with the exception of a few of the more preminent visitors, who were entertained at a contributor's dinner to-

Perhaps none of the April weddings of the State will equal in social importance that to be celebrated in Wilmington, at 5:39 P. M., April 10th. The principals will be Miss Mary Jennings Bellamy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. H. Bellamy, and Lieutenant Benjamin Maurice Chiswell, of the United States revenue cutter Algonguin. Miss Beliamy is a niece of Con-gressman John D. Beliamy, and her father is an honored and distinguished physician of this city. Lieutenant Chiswell is one of the most efficient officers in the revenue

cutter service.

The Easter German of L'Arioso German Club will begin on the night of the wedding and will be complimentary to Lieutenant Chiswell and his bride.

#### Colonel W. H. Cheek

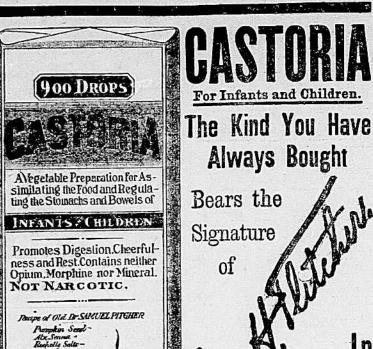
(Special Dispatch to The Times.) DURHAM, N. C., March 25.—News has reached here of the death of Colonel W. H. Cheek, at Henderson. He commanded the First North Carolina Cavalry from sixty-three to the close of the war, and was among the bravest of the South's

#### KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Officers to Be Installed and Banquet Held in Winchester.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
WINCHESTER, VA., March 25.—The
Knights Templar of Winchester have
completed arrangements for a public installation of officers on Friday night of
this week in the auditorium of the Rouss
City Hall. Right Eminent Grand Commander J. E. Alexander, of Alexandria,
will preside, and other prominent Knights
have accepted invitations to attend.

At the conclusion of the installation the At the conclusion of the installation the meeting of the Democratic Committee of



new asylum in the City Hall will be dedicated, after which an elaborate banquet will be served at Hotel Evans, with speeches by prominent members of the

Aperfect Remedy for Constipa-tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea

Worms.Convulsions, Feverish-

ness and Loss of SLEEP.

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At 6 months old

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order.
Winchester Commandery, No. 12, is in a flourishing condition. Its asylum in the City Hall has just been frescoed and fur-City Hall has just been freecoed and furnished at a cost of nearly \$1,000.

Rev. W. H. H. Joyce has just closed a successful revival at the Braudock-Street Methodist Church. About twenty-five new member have been admitted.

Rt. Rev. Robert A. Gibson, D. D., bishop coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Virginia, will visit the congregation of Christ Church on Good Friday for the purpose of administering the rite of confirmation.

#### NEW CITIZEN.

Gilliam Sentenced to Pay a Fine of \$250. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

PETERSBURG, VA., March 25.—"The Chimes of Normandy," under the direction of Mr. Baker, who recently presented the opera "Powhatan" in this city with local talent, will be given during Easter week, under the patronage of "The Daughters of the Contederacy." The previous operas given by Mr. Baker with local talent have proved exceedingly successful, both in affording pleasure to successing, noth in anothing pleasure to those attending, and in materially bene-fitting the coffers of the institution for whose bencht they are given. Albin Filacek, an Austrian, was made a citizen of the United States to-day.

Vaclas Shredl, also an Austrian, signified his intention to become a citizen.

The will of the late Mrs. Lucy A. Mcllwaine was proved in the Hustings Court to-day. M. W. B. Mcllwaine

Court to-day, M. W. B. Mcliwaine qualified as administrator.

The funeral of the late Charles B. Mann took place from Blandford M. E. Chirch this afternoon and was largely

Thomas Howerton was seriously injured at Seward's trunk factory this He was caught in the belting and car-

ied over the shafting His head was The young man was treated and taken to his home.

The suit of Kent against Roper for \$20,000 damages was continued this morn-

ing until May 2d.

A double team, owned by O. W. Mattox and driven by four young men, rat away on Washington Street yesterday. The occupants escaped uninjured. One of the horses was badly hurt.

The jury in the Gilliam case, which occupied the court ten days in Prince George county, found a verdict of guilty and imposed a fine of \$350, which was

#### NEW ELECTRIC LINE.

One Contemplated to Run from Fredericksburg Into Madison.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 25.-Mr. J. H. Cochran, a millionaire banker, of Williamsport, Pa., recently purchased the fine old Colonial estate known as "Rose Gill." in Middlesex county, from ran will make many improvements without altering the style of architecture. It is contemplated to make a modern stock farm of "Rose Gill" for breeding and raising improved stock of different kinds.

The third anniversary of the Baptist Young People's Union was celebrated with appropriate ceremonies at the Bap-tist Church last night. The principal address was ably delivered by Rev. Andrew Broaddus, of Sparta, on the subject "Caution and Courage."
Rev. C. A. Tyndell preached at Trinity
Episcopal Church here yesterday. This
church is still without a rector.

The Democrats of Caroline county will hold precinct meetings April 5th to elect delegates to a county convention to be held April 8th at Bowling Green to nominate a candidate for the Constitutional

Convention. Convention.

A telephone line is being erected from Culpeper to different points in Culpeper county, and when completed will connect with the lines at Orange Courthouse. A movement is on foot to construct an electric railroad from this city into Madison and Rappahannock counties by way of the towns of Remington and Culpeper. The projectors had a meeting recently and active efforts in the

terest of the enterprise will soon be put The run of perch and rock is good in the Potomac River, but fishermen say the catch of herring is small yet. Mr. W. J. Stakes, of Richmond county,

has a sow which has been a remarkable source of profit to him in the past year. She has given birth in eleven months thirty-five pigs. Mr Stakes has already realized over \$100 from sales of these pigs, and still has the sow and eleven

> Date of Primary Set. (Special Dispatca to The Times.)

the city and county was held to-day, and they decided to hold a primary on April 13th to elect delegates to the Constitu-

Thirty Years

Over

A SAFE ROBBED.

Burglars Secure \$400 is the Town of Phoebus. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

PHOEBUS, VA., March 25 .- The safe of Mr. E. M. Tennis, at his wood and coal Mr. E. M. Tennis, at his wood and coal yard, on Mellen Street, was broken open and robbed of some \$400 last night.

The job was a bunglesome one and was evidently done by a novice. The hinges, knob and handle were broken off, but the door was not opened. The thieves then moved the safe forward and cut a

hole in the back large enough to insert a hand.

There seems to be no clue to the bur-glars. The building was entered from a rear door by prizing it open.

#### FILED OUT OF PRISON.

Private Watkins Leaves the Privacy of His Cell.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 25 .-NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Match 28.—
Private Watkins escaped from a cell in
Fort Monroe last night leaving no clue
as to his whereabouts. The man was under sentence for a long time for desertion and it is said that he succeeded in effecting his escape once
before. He got out last night by sawing
his way, through the bars of the cell.

#### WILL NAME NO CANDIDATES.

his way through the bars of the cell

thought they smuggled in a saw or file for him. He had two visitors Sunday and it is thought they smuzgled in a saw or file

Republicans of Washington Conuty Will Not Put Up a Fight.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) ABINGDON, VA., March 25.—A preliminary meeting of the Republican committee to-day disclosed a unanimous determination on the part of the Republicans of Washington county to make no nominations for the convention and to have r participation in the approaching election

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETE HANS.

Rennion at Memphis, May 28th 30th, Via C, & O. Ronte.

The rates to U. C. V. Reunion at Memphis, authorized via C. & O. route, are as follows:

 From Richmond.
 17.65

 From Lynchburg.
 15.10

 From Charlottesville.
 16.30

 From Buena Vista.
 15.15

and 27th, return limit June 4th. The re-turn limit can be extended to June 30th by depositing ticket with joint agent at Memphis and paying a fee of fifty cents
Leaving Richmond via C. & O. 2:45 P.
M., train arrives Memphis, via Louisville, 10:40 P. M. next day. Leaving Richmond via C. & O. 10:45 P.

M., train arrives Memphis, via Louisville, 8:15 A. M. second morning.

## Closing Out a \$19,000 Stock

is no easy matter, and though we have been busy as bees, there's lots of shoes yet remaining on our

Still selling the \$2.50 Ameri- \$2.05 Still selling the \$3.50 Ultra \$2.85 Still selling the \$4 Easefelt \$3.25

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Baskets of Fine Oxfords, samples, 99c., \$1.55 and \$1.49 for \$2 and \$3 Oxfords. Basket of Men's and Boys' 50C Patent Leather Oxfords....... 50C

Everything in the store marked down. The red-ink reduced prices on the boxes. See what you save.

man's Club yesterday afternoon was delightfully refreshing. She was greeted by an unusually large audience, and her several renditions were thoroughly enjoyable. Besides a charming personality

When Earth's Last Picture (Kipling);
The Bow-Leg Boy, Lover's Lane, Picnic
Time, Human Natur' (Eugene Pield); She
Liked him Rael Weel (anon.) Kate Douglas Wiggin; The Village Seamstress. and
Boy's Bear Story (James Whitcomb Riley); De Nice Leetle Canadienne, The
Curi of Calimette, When Albani Sang
(Wm. H. Drummond, Montreal); The
Water-Logged Town (F. Hopkinson
Smith); An Irish Mother (original).
Miss Foster was introduced by Mrs. J.
A. Lefroy. After the recital Miss Foster
held an informal reception. Tea was
served by Mrs. B. T. Crump, coffee by
Mrs. Joha Freeman. Among the visitors
to the club were Miss Ellie Page, Miss
Merritt, Atlanta, Ga.; Miss Gulle Harri-

Merritt, Atlanta, Ga.; Miss Gulie Harrison, of Lower Brandon; Mrs. Daniel Ginna, Plainfield, N. J.; Mrs. Harrington, San Antonio, Texas; Mrs. Beck, San Antonio Texas; Mrs. Gorman, Forrest City, Arkansas; Miss Estelle Tayloe, Mt. Airy; Misses McIntosh, of Mississippi; Mrs. George Brockenbrough, Charlotte, N. C.; Mrs. John McPhail, Baltimore; Mrs. Mortimer Heath, Philadelphia; Mr. George Brockenbrough, Charlotte, N. C.; Miss Mary I. Haw, Hanover; Mrs, Finch, Boydton; Miss Lula Ross, Indiana. One of the dantiest and most beautiful

numbers in the Carnival of Musical Romances, to be given at the Academy in April, for the benefit of the Confederate Museum, is "The Coronation of Titania," under the direction of Mesdames John G. Farland, Charles T. O'Ferrall and John Cullen. The little children are already quite efficient in their parts, and the beau-tiful children will doubtless make this scene from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" as fairy-like as could be wished. Miss Gussie Reinbardt, the little daughter of Mr. Jacob Reinbardt, will sing in this scene. Little Nancy Perkins and Frederick

Adkins will be queen and king. Among the other little people partici-pating are: Laura Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Annie Hodge, Alice Hodge, Nannie Patton, Marie Sands, Nora Randolph, Meta Ran-dolph, Margaret Knight, Mabel O.Ferrall, Arnita Cousins, Lynn Lewis, Grace Mc-Kee, Nannie Watson, Annie Koyall, Dorothy Cullen, Gay Montague, Gertrude Crershaw, Catherine Gunn, Dorothy Christian, Genevieve Lathrop, Mary Saunders, Sarah Chamberlayne, Elizabeth Wingo, Mary Butler, Alston Drake, Letty Wood-Mary Butler, Alston Drake, Letty Woo Mary Butler, Alston Drake, Letty Woodward, Marie Jones, Gussie Reinhardt, Dallas Lee, Rosalie Valentine, Jennie Warfick, Ellen Smith, Page Grimes, Douglas Gallaway, Helene Borchers, St. Clair Butler, Sadie Habilston, Emily Marriott, Irene Hayes, Abbie Marriot, Louise Word, Jessie Evans, Marie Rohannan. sie Evans, Marie Bohannan.

One of the most delightful evenings One of the most delightful evenings given by the Every Monday Club was that given yesterday at the home of Miss French Shelton, in memory of James Barron Hope, the poet laureate of Virginia. Professor J. A. C. Chandler delivered a delightfully interesting address on the life of the poet, and Mrs. Chandler read in hor usual finished manner. ler read, in her usual finished manner, several selections from his works, among them the exquisite one that the poet dedi-cated to the unveiling of Lee Monument.

A very large board meeting of the Woman's Christian Association was held few details of minor importance the main question come up—whether the adjoin-ing home should be purchased or add to appointed to make arrangements to reeither at the next meeting or as early

The free exhibition of the work of scholars of the School of Art of Grace Episcopal Church, given yesterday afternoon, attracted a large number of visitors. The work exhibited and placed on sale was beautiful and consisted of fine embroidery, lace work, lamp shades, hand-painted tally and souvenir cards, and many fancy and useful articles. The exhibitions will be held every three

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosenheim have issued invitations to the marriage of

low at the Jefferson Hotel.

The bridal party will be composed of Mrs. Max Cohen, matron of honor; Misses Miriam Millheiser, Rita Myers, Saidee B. Whitlock, Beulah Eichel, Corinne Rosenbaum and Rosa Greentree will serve

Mr. Max Cohen, brother of the groom will be best man, and the ushers will be Messrs. Milton Strause, Joseph Mitteldorfer, Samuel Eichel, S. M. Block, Gaston Kraker, Isaac Greenabaum, Le Reinheimer, Isaac Caron, Samuel Bend-heim and J. Flegenheimer. Mr. Henry S. Hutzler will be master

of ceremonies.

Miss Margaret Branch is visiting in Au-

The Atlanta correspondent to the North York Herald says: "Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foreman gave a dinner party Friday evening in honor of the birthday of Dr. Virgin O. Hardin. Those asked to meet him were Mr. and Mrs. Pinckney, Dr. and Mrs. Dunbar Roy and Dr. and Mrs.

luncheon last week in honor of Mrs. Wil-

Street Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie A. Page have re-

turned home, after a week's honeymoon in Powhatan, and are at home, on Church Hill, where they will be glad to receive their many friends.

Mr. Abner Harris, of Louisville, formerly this city, and Miss Bettle Saund-

ers, of Cincinnati, will be married at Christ Church, in that city, on April 10th. Mrs. Richard Pegram and Miss Phronic Pegram, who have been on a visit to Mrs. George Cameron, in Petersburg, have returned to the city.

Miss Lucy Chamberlayne, of Petersburg, spent several days in the city last week with her sister, Mrs. Edward Val-

Dr. John R. Gildersleeve, who has been in the city for a stay of some length. I didn't order him out."

# FROM FIRST MARCH TO THE MAY

## Personal Are the Months That Try the Nerves and Derange the Blood.

Pe-ru-na is Known the World Over as an Ideal Spring Tonic and Blood Purifier.

order in the spring? This is directly

due to the almost inevitable indigestion of spring. During the winter months much more food is required to protect

the body against the vicissitudes of the climate. Digestion has been prodded to

As spring approaches the system re-

quires less and soon becomes clogged by excess of nutrition. This loads the

blood with unnecessary nutritive ma-terial. Very quickly the digestive or-gans themselves become deranged. Ex-

cept by the strictest diet this cannot be qualded.

and other digestive organs into a normal

condition. This immediately clears the blood of all superfluous material.

the stream must be cleansed. The source of the blood is the digestion. To cleanse

the blood the source must be cleansed

Peruna makes perfect digestion. Peruna corrects impure blood by correcting the fountain from which these impuri-

the blood that does not produce perfect

spring. No medicine can cleanse

To cleanse the stream, the source of

A catarrhal condition of the whole digestive tract very quickly results. Peruna restores digestion by bringing the mucous membranes of the stomach

its utmost

Why Is It April and May are so trying to the nerves and

so sure to produce blood derangements! The fact that it is so is known to nearly everybody. But why it is so is not so clear to many.

Some of the reasons are that the bracing air of winter is a thing of the past. The enervating nearness of the spring equinox is felt. The gathering heat of the tropics begins to send premonitons of its approach. The reaction of lassi of its approach. The reaction of assi-tude that follows the nerve tension of winter insidiously threatens everybody. Hence, the prevalence of nervons dis-eases, flagging energies, depression of spirits, tendency to weariness and a continuous sense of tiredness.

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Peruna is not a quick, flashy, temporary prod to the nervous system, but a

gentle rejuvenating tonic that restores the nervous system to a perfect balance. Why is it that the blood gets out of

has returned to his home in Tazeweil,

Miss M. I. Allen has returned to her home in New York, after a visit to Richmond and Old Point.

Miss Mary and Willie Hill, of Newport

News, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. John Bowers, Jr. Misses Hallie and Mary Brockenbrough

Miss Margaret Shepherd, of Frede-cicksburg, is the guest of friends in the

Miss Susie Harrison is in Newport News, the guest of Mrs. C. W. Robinson.

Mrs. Sue C. Rowlett, of Fredericksburg, Mrs. Thomas Ryan, of New York, is a guest at the Jefferson.

#### NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Verdict for \$1,500 for Injuries-Qualifica-

the Richmond Railway and Electric Company for \$5,000 for injuries alleged to

Melvin Flegenhimer qualified to practice law in this court

WANTS HIS SWEETHEART.

A young man from Salisbury, N. C., called at the office of the Chief of Police several days ago and solicited his aid in locating a young girl from the same town, who, he said, had taken a sudden departure in order to avoid a marriage which

mest. He had a photograph of the young yoman, and was very much in earnest about finding her. The case was put in the hands of the detectives, but up to last night the girl had not been located.

### TALKING FOUR PER CENT.

Rumor That It Will Be Declared on Seaboard Air Line.

dend being declared on Seaboard Air Line at the next meeting of the directors per-haps has something to do with the appreciation of the stock.

Sales on the Richmond market yesterday included 105,000 of 4's at 79.7-8, and 80,550 preferred at 33.5-8 and 34, and 800 common at 14 7-8 highest.

Months Ago.

record in the price of any article. The Glass Trust is said to be resopnsible for the jump. Hasker Memorial.

The revival services at Hasker-Memo-rial Church, being conducted by the pas-tor, Rev. R. B. Beadles, will be continued tor, nev. and to-morrow night. In spite of the inclement weather last night the service was well attended, and three conversions were had.

"I did not ask Rev. Mr. Orne to leave my office last Saturday," said Mayor Taylor yesterday. "I always treat people with courtesy when they call upon me, but when I told Mr. Orne that we had enough ministers to attend to our affairs, and he said he had preached to the con-

## Make Application Now,

The dyspeptic with his coated tongue

loss of appetite, depressed spirits, has only to take a few doses of Peruna to be amazed at the change that occurs. Pe-

runa quickly dissipates the host of symptoms that attend blood and nerve de

toms that attend blood and herve de-rangement of springtime.

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suls, diplomats, foreign ministers, bishops, preachers and church digni-turies, college presidents, professors and

tutors, musicians, public speakers, se-ciety belies and housewives, the farmer and the mechanic, the humble and the

arrogant, the classes and the masses, all

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ment to choose from.

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TO GRANT PARDON

### Texas Preacher Wants Prisoner Set Free So He Can Care for His

Destitute Mother.

Governor Tyler is in receipt of a most

touching letter from Rev. J. B. Sweeney, pastor of the Dixon Street Christian Church, Galveston, Texas, in which the latter seeks the pardon of F. W. Prendergrast, who is now in the State penitentiary. The letter is written in the interest of the aged mother of the prisoner, who lost the rest of her family and all her property in the recent Galveston flood, and though eighty years of age, is employed as a cook in that city at \$8 per month.

Mr. Sweeney desires the prisoner set at liberty so he may go to Texas and look after his mother in her poverty-stricken

Prendergrast was convicted of murder in the second degree in Scott county in 1338 and sentenced to fifteen years in the pentientiary. He has a good prison record and has served out nearly three years of his sentence. The Governor will take the case up shortly and give it the attention it deserves.

Governor Tyler has announced the following appointments on the Board of Di-rectors of the Eastern State Hospital, to

take office on April 15, 1901, and to serve for three years: Messrs J. R. Segar, Jr., of Middlesex, H. D. Cole, of Williams-burg; and Walter A. Watson, of Notto-

Commencing yesterday, the Court of Appeals opens daily at 19 o'clock A. M. instead of 11 o'clock. It is thought that it will adjourn for the term about the end of the present week. The next term will be at Wytheville, commencing about June 1st. The case of the Supervisors of Fluvanna vs. the C. & O. Railway Company being one of original jurisdiction, will not be argued orally, but briefs will be submitted by counsel on either side.

Colonel Richardson and his men were engaged yesterday in sowing grass seed on the vacuant spois in the Capitol Square. way. Commencing yesterday, the Court of

The Pension Boards of the several coun-

The Pension Boards of the several counties and cities of the State will meet on Monday next for the purpose of dividing the lists and sertifying to the Auditor who are to be paid under the act of 1883 and who under that of 1890.

Those under the force are will be paid commencing April 1st, while those under the latter act will get their pensions from August 1st on. The latter checks will range from \$2.25 to \$5 in amount.

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# WINSTON-SALEM

# ⊋ FELT STORM

# Social and

Miss Foster is mistress of her art, and especially in her dialect sketches did she win her audience. Her excellent programme was as follows:

When Earth's Last Picture (Kipling);

at II o'clock yesterday, at the rooms, No. 769-711 East Franklin Street, with Mrs. James H. Capers in the chair. After a the present buildings in the rear. After considerable discussion a committee was ceive bids and plans for an annex. The committee will report back to the board

their daughter, Miss Miriam Rosenheim, and Mr. Le Roy S. Cohen. The wedding will be a brilliant, social event and will take place at Beth Ahaba Synagogue on Thursday evening, April 11th, at 8:30 o'clock. A reception and dinner will fol-

as bridesmaids.

gusta, Ga., the guest of her cousin, Mrs. David Branch. The Atlanta correspondent to the New

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Carter have an nounced the forthcoming marriage of daughter, Miss Myrtle May Carter, to Mr. Overton Thomas Gilliam. The wedding will occur on the 23d of April, at Laurel-

Mrs. W. B. Bigbie, of Lynchburg, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John W. Burress, left last evening for her

Miss Nellie Puller, who has been the guest of Mrs. B. J. Taylor, No. 410 West Main Street, has returned to her home.

Miss Estelle Royster, who has been visiting relatives in Washington, has returned to her home on Church Hill.

Mrs. N. Beverly Tucker, wife of Colonel Tucker, of the Virginia Mijitary Institute, is visiting in Richmond.

Miss Mary Overton Ham of Hanover, is the guest of Mrs. M. H. Garnett, No. it4 South First Street.

of Richmond county, are visiting friends

ourg, are at Nassau Bahama Islands.

tions. The case of Pauline Newman against

pany for \$5,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained through carelessness on the part of the defendant, was tried yesterday in the Law and Equity Court. The jury brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$1,500.

E. P. Ford qualified as administrator of Adaline Scott in the Chancery Court. Wm. A. Moncure qualified as administrator or Martha Pleasants; Dr. H. Wythe Davis qualified as administrator of hugh F. Davis, and Israel Rosenfeld qualified. F. Davis, and Israel Rosenfeld qualified as administrator of Martha Rosenfeld.

## ant Jackson (colored), for assault, given one year in the penitentiary.

## Young Man from Salisbury Searching for a Young Woman.

had been arranged for.

The young man was urgent in his re-

The expectation of a four per cent. divi-There is highest authority for the statement that if the road's earnings continue to increase at the rate which has been kept up this year, the dividend will be declared.

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